

A PARSEE IS A FREE WHITE MAN

UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP ALONG TO THIS POINT IN 120 YEARS.

The case of the late Judge J. J. L. Parsons, who died in 1908, has been the subject of much discussion in the courts. The late Judge Parsons, who died in 1908, was a Parsee, a member of a race which has been living in India for centuries. The late Judge Parsons, who died in 1908, was a Parsee, a member of a race which has been living in India for centuries. The late Judge Parsons, who died in 1908, was a Parsee, a member of a race which has been living in India for centuries.

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ALTERNATIVES ON THE FILMS

But They Opposed the Motion Picture to \$2,000,000—Going Back to 1900.

The Alternatives boys, who rode here from Oklahoma to be in line to greet Col. Roosevelt on his return, are starting for home today, but not on horseback. They are going in automobiles. Louis, the older, spent much of yesterday driving a machine up and down Broadway to make sure he could reach the critic from his home.

But when alive back, their father, is going to begin the journey with them, as he said yesterday at the Berlin that he will have to be in Oklahoma next Sunday, where an United States marshal he will have to convey a batch of prisoners to the penitentiary.

Mr. Alternaty said he had had a hard time fighting off the vaudeville actors, who had made offers of as much as \$1,000 a week for him and the boys to appear in some sort of act. "I could not think of letting my boys go on the stage," said the father. "However, he let them appear in moving pictures. The other day out on the New Jersey plains the young stars gave an illustration to how to rescue a beautiful damsel from greasers who had stolen her and were making away with her to some rocky fastness. One boy shot the robber chief through the heart and stood the rest of the gang at bay with his smoking rifle while the other rode off to summon a few trusty cowboys."

It was said by a friend of Mr. Alternaty that the boys have an appointment to call on Col. Roosevelt to-day at his office, and it is hoped that the Colonel will be a guest at a send off luncheon.

Temple Alternaty, perched on a corner of a sofa at the Berlin yesterday, said Coney Island was the best thing he had seen in the East. Just then a man came up and began to tease the boys. "Now that fellow Jack Alternaty out there with a pretty girl," he said to one of the men near Temple.

"What's that?" piped up a shrill voice from the sofa.

"Why, that fellow Alternaty. He's talking to a pretty girl, and he seems to be sweet on her."

"It's a damn lie," said the boy struggling to his feet. "As soon as he could get the sofa he ran down the lobby to his father."

"That man said you were sweet on a girl," he said. "Is that so?"

"Where is the man?" demanded Alternaty.

"He's just gone upstairs."

"Well, son, I just reckon we'll have to go upstairs and kill him," said the father, and the boy appeared satisfied.

The boys are going home by way of Albany, Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

BOLIVIAN MINISTER WEDS.

Senior Don Ignacio Calderon Married to Miss Beatrice Ashley.

PORT CHARLES, July 5.—Senior Don Ignacio Calderon, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Bolivia to the United States, was married yesterday in Holy Trinity Roman Catholic Church, Mamaroneck, to Miss Beatrice Monica Ashley by the Rev. Isidore Meier, pastor of the church.

Senior Calderon and Miss Ashley, accompanied by Father Meier, came to Port Charles at about 6 o'clock on Friday evening last and got their marriage license from Town Clerk Charles W. Stevens. Senior Calderon gave his age as 40 years and said that his residence was in Washington and that he was a professor by occupation. He said that he was a widower. Miss Ashley said that she was 34 years old, that her father was Thomas Ashley, an Englishman who before coming to this country was a theatrical manager, having managed Wilson Barrett, William G. Swenson and other well-known actors on the English tours. She was formerly a professional nurse and she attended the first Mrs. Calderon at the time of her last illness.

Senior Calderon and his bride are staying at Mamaroneck, but will go to Mexico within a few days.

RATTLE RACES AUTO.

Killed as It Seemed About to Try to Puncture a Tire.

DOVER, N. J., July 5.—The first rattle-snake of the season to make a public appearance in Sussex county was seen by the roadside near Culver's Lake yesterday, according to Henry Dehler and Abram D. Cooper of this place, while they were whizzing by in an automobile.

Dehler says the snake acted just as if it were jealous of the automobile's whirr and slipped out to the roadway to show how much better it could do it. It was a foot long and had sunken rattles and a button. Cooper, who was at the tiller, thought at first that he would just keep on and let somebody else kill the reptile, but it seemed so anxious to try quite at close speed or light, that Cooper decided to accommodate it after it had glided along the roadside keeping pace for about twenty feet. He happened to have a long switch in the car and he armed himself with it, taking the precaution after stopping the car to dismount on the roadside.

As he stole around the back the huge snake was coiled and preparing to strike the front tire and it punctured it. Just as it drew back its head Cooper swung the switch and caught it back of the neck. It went down to the court.

Mrs. Rice Leaves Quiet Town for Quieter Sea.

Mrs. Isaac L. Rice, who dislikes noise, sailed yesterday for Bremen by the North German Lloyd liner Kaiser Wilhelm II, with her husband, her daughters Muriel, Margery and Marion, and her son Isaac L. Rice, Jr. Mrs. Rice was jubilant over the comparatively noiseless celebration of the Fourth in this city and said she hoped Mrs. Rice would do more for the cause of peace before leaving the City Hall.

Actress to Marry Chinese Prince.

It is announced that Miss Gussy Holl, the young German impersonator who is appearing at the American Road in Garden City, is to marry Prince Djin Hai of the province of Mandchuria, China. The Prince is now in Berlin studying German military tactics. Miss Holl will sail immediately after the termination of her American tour and the marriage will take place in London.

Daughter Born to Percy and Mrs. Rockefeller.

GREENWICH, July 5.—It was announced to-day that a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Percy A. Rockefeller on the morning of July 4. The Rockefellerers now have five children.

TRUCK OVER HOUSE FRONTS

PARK DEPARTMENT CALLS OFF ITS WRECKERS.

Commissioner Hays That an Appeal Has Been Taken by the City in Riverside Drive Case. One Woman Householder Advised to Try Forceful Resistance.

Mrs. Charles Austin Bates, whose house at 107 Riverside Drive is the last one of the group of six ordered to be removed by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court in the suit brought by Mrs. Jessie Ackerman against Park Commissioner Stever to compel him to remove the four foot encroachment of each house on Riverside Drive, began proceedings yesterday to protect her house front. After trying all day to get an order enjoining the Park Commissioner from going on with his trimming process her lawyer gave up last night and said he would advise his client to protect her house from the Park Commissioner by force, and get the matter into the courts in that way.

The Park Commissioner's men took scaffolding material up to the third floor of the house and eight-foot ladders on Saturday, and it was expected that the shoving would begin yesterday. Mark H. Ellison of 132 Nassau street, counsel for Mrs. Bates, began suit in the morning to remove the cloud on the title to the property brought about by the four foot encroachment, and it was on the complaint in this action that he applied to Supreme Court Justice Giegerich for a temporary injunction restraining the Park Commissioner from touching Mrs. Bates' house until her rights had been adjudicated in the action.

Justice Giegerich refused to sign the temporary restraining order, saying that since the Park Commissioner was acting under the express command of the Appellate Division it could not be seen by a Justice at Special Term to restrain such action. The Court advised counsel that any application for relief should be made to the Appellate Division.

Justice Ellison went up to the Appellate Division, later in the case before Justice McLaughlin, explaining that his client had not been a party to the suit decided by the Appellate Division, and that she was not a party to the suit in court before her property was more or less destroyed. Justice McLaughlin said that the Appellate Division did not want to have the Ackerman suit before the court again, and that the removal of the encroachment was the only way out of the difficulty.

The only way I can see for my client to have a hearing in this case is for me to station a gang of men in front of the house to resist any attempt by the Park Commissioner to remove the front of it," said Mr. Ellison. Then some one will probably be arrested, or the Park Commissioner will have to take other action that will result in a hearing in court. My client bought the property in good faith and she is entitled to a hearing without due process of law in an action to which she is a party."

Park Commissioner Charles B. Stever was informed late yesterday afternoon by the Corporation Counsel's office that the city had taken an appeal to the Court of Appeals in the matter of Mrs. Ackerman's mandamus. This, the Park Commissioner understood, was a step against any further action on his part until the Court of Appeals had an opportunity to pass upon the case. At any rate, the department will not try to slacken the front of the houses in question until it knows more about what its rights in the matter are. The lumber for building scaffolding about the houses will stay where it is for the present.

NEWS OF PLAYS AND PLAYERS.

"What Happened to Jones?" Set to Music.

"The Girl and the Drummer," a musical version of "What Happened to Jones," is to be produced by W. A. Brady this fall. It is by George Broadhurst, author of the play, who has also supplied the lyrics. Among the leading principals are Charles Graepwin, Anna Chance, Vera Michelena, Stella Tracy, Berenice Buca, Jean Salisbury, Phil Ryer, and Philip Phillips. Bernard Dwyer and Frank Kelly, Jr., of the Broadway Theatre, are also in the cast.

The Shuberts have engaged Georgia Caine for a leading role in one of their new musical productions.

Klaw & Erlanger have contracted with Ivan Caryll, musical director of Daly's Theatre in London, for two musical comedies. One is a version of "The Satyr," a French farce by George Barr, the Comedy Theatre company, which survived two seasons at the Palace Royal, Paris. The book and lyrics are by C. M. S. McLeellan. The other piece is "Sweet Honey," a comedy in three acts, written by Henry Methue and Ludwig Halevy, authors of the book of "The Merry Widow."

"The Satyr" will be produced early in the new year and "Sweet Honey" next season. Both will come to America for both productions.

Jack Johnson will be at Hammerstein's next week.

Mr. Woods announces among his offerings for the coming season, "The Brute" and "The Other Woman," written by Frederick Arnold Kummer.

John A. Harris announced a theatrical field day at the Polo Grounds on the afternoon of Friday, August 19, in aid of the Actors Fund of America. A tournament form "Trophy" which was planned for the Polo Ground Fair will be one of the features.

The cast of Charles Mark's musical comedy "Three Million Dollars" includes Juliet May, Robert H. Wheeler, Mark Smith, Dorothy Brenner, George Lydecker, Arthur Conrad, Carolyn Gordon, Grace Griswold, Frances Alain, George Badger, George L. Brown, and John A. Harris. The piece will open at Atlantic City on July 25 and after a term in Boston will come to New York.

Concert Company to Tour Summer Resorts.

James W. Morrissey announces that he and Mr. de la Fuente, former musical director at the Manhattan Opera House, have engaged a company in Paris to give concerts at American summer resorts. The sixteen weeks tour will begin at Newport on July 14.

In the company are Miss. Guila Allan, soprano, from the Grand Opera House, Paris; Mme. Regina Demody from La Scala, Milan; Mlle. Adrienne, a harp soloist, of the Colonne Concerts, Paris; G. Fendroff, lyric tenor, of the Imperial Opera, St. Petersburg; and A. Bruinen, bass, of the Grand Opera, La Monnaie, Brussels. An orchestra will accompany them.

MUNICIPAL PRINTING PLANT.

Mayor is Thinking About It—No Prosecutions in "City Record" Matter.

The Grand Jury is not to be asked to investigate the "suspicious methods" which the commission appointed by the Mayor to look into the running of the City Record reported had prevailed in the city's printing and stationery supply departments. Now that he has been able to place a new staff in the department the Mayor is satisfied and he will not go to the Grand Jury.

The time comes next fall for the letting of the new printing contract the Mayor will consider the advisability of recommending to the Board of City Record a municipal printing plant. The Mayor believes that it would save money.

IN DEMAND A NATIVE BISHOP.

Queer Church and State Tangle in Costa Rica Party Needs Money.

NEW ORLEANS, July 5.—The Costa Rican Congress has now before it and will pass a law regarding the Bishop of San Jose to be a native of the country and all its assistants to be natives of Central America. This course is taken frankly because of the political opposition of the clergy at the last election, when the Bishop marched to the polls and voted openly for Iglesias, the then President, who wanted to be elected, while his assistants voted against him.

The proposition seems to meet with favor among the populace, as the Bishop and the leading Catholic clergy of the republic are Germans, and the natives are all prejudiced against foreigners.

President Jimenez has caused consternation among officeholders by declaring that the campaign by which he was elected to his position, at which he makes ten times as much as his Presidential salary.

It is understood that President Jimenez offered to pay the debt himself if he was allowed to resign the Presidency and resume to his profession, at which he makes ten times as much as his Presidential salary.

HIS CUSTOMER ARRESTED.

Woman Who Has \$100 on Deposit With Store Accused of Stealing \$1.90 Worth.

An elderly woman, well dressed, was arrested just outside a Broadway department store yesterday afternoon on a charge of shoplifting. She gave her name as May Smith and her address as Monticello, N. Y. A female store detective who caused her arrest said that the woman really lives on Riverside Drive and that she has a \$100 deposit in the charge account department of the store.

She has had this account with the store for the past two years. Smith, according to the store detective, is not the woman's right name.

The detective said she had seen the woman, after making several purchases, take from a counter articles of wearing apparel valued in all at \$1.90. She followed her out on the street and had her arrested. The stolen goods were found under the woman's coat.

Brigade in the Jefferson Market police court, held the prisoner in \$300 bail for trial. The amount was deposited in cash with the City Chamberlain.

"Mrs. Smith" said that she was going to Monticello this morning for the summer. She said she didn't know what prompted her to take the goods.

ARON BARNETT DEAD.

The Day After His Removal From His Boarding House by His Son.

Aron Barnett, the aged retired cotton goods merchant, who was removed on Monday from the boarding house of Mrs. Mary Goss at 122 West Seventy-second street to the Ansonia Hotel by his son, died at the Ansonia yesterday morning.

Dr. F. S. Halsey of 108 West Seventy-fourth street, who had been attending Mr. Barnett since Gustav Barnett, the son took charge of his father on Sunday, an assumption of responsibility which led the boarding house keeper to call the police, died yesterday that death was due to diabetes.

The body was removed to an undertaker's shop, where it will stay until Mrs. Barnett's funeral, which will be held at 10 o'clock on Monday at the home of Mrs. Barnett, 108 West Seventy-fourth street. She is expected in New York on Friday.

Mr. Barnett, who was 85 years old, founded the Barnett Transportation Company at Richmond, Va., which transported troops during the civil war. After the war he went into the cotton goods business and was succeeded by his son.

TO MOVE MRS. SHERMAN.

Vice-President's Wife Will Be Taken to the Adirondacks on Friday.

UTICA, N. Y., July 5.—Members of Vice-President Sherman's family received word to-night from him to the effect that Mrs. Sherman will be moved from Johns Hopkins Hospital at Baltimore and taken to the Adirondacks on Friday.

A special car will convey Mrs. Sherman, the Vice-President, Mrs. Sherman's sister, Mrs. DeLong, and brother, Sherman, to the Adirondacks on Friday. The car will be used for several weeks. Her condition is considerably improved.

The Seagoers.

Sailing to-day by the White Star liner Teutonic, for Plymouth, Cherbourg and Southampton.

Donald Babcock, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Cory, Mrs. Henry Dainberger, Mrs. William T. Gatchell, Mrs. M. S. Stillman and Mrs. L. H. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Blisler, Dr. and Mrs. E. B. P. B. and Mrs. W. D. of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Preston and Dr. and Mrs. Valentine Mott.

Passengers by the Hamburg American liner President Lincoln, for Plymouth, Cherbourg and Hamburg.

Mrs. K. H. Bellows, Capt. C. DeF. Chandler, Capt. J. H. Bellows, Capt. C. DeF. Chandler, Mrs. J. H. Bellows, Capt. C. DeF. Chandler, Mrs. J. H. Bellows, Capt. C. DeF. Chandler.

Sailing for Bermuda by the Quebec Line steamship Bermudian.

Robert H. Wheeler, Mrs. E. W. Rankin, Miss Alice Vance, Mrs. J. H. Bellows, Capt. C. DeF. Chandler, Mrs. J. H. Bellows, Capt. C. DeF. Chandler.

Sane Fourth Lights Up of Children's Court.

There were 44 cases in the Children's Court yesterday as compared to more than ninety on the day following the celebration of the Fourth last year. E. K. Conter, the Chief Clerk, said that the small number of cases this year was undoubtedly due to the embargo put on fireworks.

Last year the court was crowded with children and adults swathed in bandages who were waiting to appear as complainants against boys who had blown off parts of their anatomy with firecrackers or pistols. This year there were only two cases of this kind and in neither case was the injury serious.

Edith Deacon Engaged.

NEWPORT, July 5.—Miss Edith Deacon, a daughter of the late Edward Parker Deacon of Boston and a sister of Dorothy Deacon, who to-day became Princess Radziwill in London, is engaged to George Radziwill, a Polish nobleman, to that effect was made to-day by Mrs. Charles H. Baldwin, grandmother of Miss Deacon, with whom the latter lives. When the wedding is to take place was not announced.

Italy Victor Over Cuba.

PARIS, July 5.—The Academy of Medicine, electing to-day a foreign associate member, gave many votes for Dr. Carlos Finlay of Havana, the well known authority on yellow fever. Dr. Pagliani of Turin was, however, finally elected.

Rock Island Woman Dies Abroad.

PARIS, July 5.—Mrs. Butler Robinson Smith of Rock Island, Ill., died at Pau to-day. She was 32 years old.

FORTUNES FOR FINEST CHINA

\$300,000 TOP PRICE AT AUCTION. OVER SALE AT CHRISTIES.

That was a drop of \$300,000 from amount paid for Rock Crystal Biscuits in 1908. Many Winning Bids in Five Figures—\$200,000 Day's Total.

London, July 5.—The sale of the collection of fine china, porcelain, jewels and objects of art and vertu of the late Baron Schroeder began at Christie's to-day. It will continue for three days more.

At to-day's sale a pair of famille rose mandarin jars and covers of the Kien Long period sold for \$12,000. An oval platter with gourd blue ground, 11½ inches by 8½ inches, fetched \$5,000. A pair of square orange tins, with gourd blue borders, the front panels painted with "Le Fantôme Mystérieux" and "La Leçon de Musique," after Boucher, and with river scenes, cottages and peasant figures round the sides, painted probably by Dodin in 1769, 6½ inches high by 5 inches square, sold for \$25,000. A pair of commode shaped jardinières, with figures probably painted by Marin, of date 1780, 5 inches high and 9½ inches wide, fetched \$10,000.

Numbers 37 and 38 on the catalogue were sold together and brought \$47,350. The former is a vase and cover 17½ inches high, painted probably by Ledoux. No. 38 is a pair of tulip shaped vases, 12½ inches high, with figures probably painted by Ledoux in 1780. Druseen was the purchaser. The only four other specimens extant belong to Windsor Castle, J. P. Morgan, the Wallace collection and Alphonse Rothschild.

A cabinet with bleu de roi ground, with pieces painted after Boucher, went for \$15,000. A pair of eventail jardinières, painted with cups, doves and military trophies, and dated 1757, 8½ inches high and 11½ inches wide, sold for \$21,000. A seat, with rose pompadour ground, painted with landscapes and a shooting party in two large panels, painted probably by Goussier in 1758, fetched \$7,500. A pair of tulip shaped vases, with gourd blue ground, each painted with a battle scene, under Wouverman, 1762, brought \$17,000. Nos. 45 and 46, a vase and cover and a pair of vases and covers, the former painted by Dodin in 1779 and the latter by the same artist and Le Guay in the same year, sold for \$45,000.

A pair of vases 9½ inches high, modelled by Duplessis, dated 1753, went for \$17,000. A vase and cover, painted by Morin, the gilding by Prevost, dated 1780, sold for \$11,250. A cavaret with joniou ground, painted with birds' trophies, a fountain, flowers and arabesques, in colors, by Levee Paris in 1780, sold for \$5,000. A pair of Louis XVI. vases of gourd blue, Sevres porcelain, 19 inches high, fetched \$7,000.

No. 57 on the catalogue was a Biberon, carved of rock crystal, mounted with enamelled gold, middle of sixteenth century, 12½ inches high and 16½ inches long. It is considered to be the work of Daniel Mignot of Augsburg. At a sale in 1905 it was bought by Charles Wertheimer for \$81,375. Wertheimer sold it to Baron Schroeder. To-day he repurchased it for \$50,000.

To-day's sale netted a total of \$390,415. A comparison with previous prices shows that No. 33 on the catalogue, a cavaret with bleu-de-roi ground, which fetched \$15,000 to-day, was sold in 1886 for \$5,350. The pair of orange tins, which fetched \$25,500 to-day, were sold in 1886 for \$9,975. The commode shaped jardinières, which brought \$10,000 to-day, went for \$3,725 in 1883. No. 37, one of the combination with No. 38, which fetched \$47,350 to-day, was purchased for \$13,910 in 1886. The eventail jardinières, which sold for \$21,000 to-day, were sold for \$7,140 at a sale in 1886. The tulip shaped vases, which fetched \$17,000 to-day, were auctioned off for \$4,800 in 1886, and No. 45, the first of the two vases which brought \$47,350 to-day, was sold in 1886 for \$26,250.

MISS DEACON A PRINCESS.

Marriage to Radziwill Celebrated in London a Very Quiet Affair.

SPECIAL CABLE DISPATCH TO THE SUN. LONDON, July 5.—Miss Dorothy Deacon of Newport and Boston was married at noon to-day to Prince Antoine Albert Radziwill of Russia at St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church in Chelsea. Father Kelly officiated at the ceremony. The wedding was a very unostentatious affair, only the intimate relatives and friends of the couple being invited.

The bride was given away by Lord de Ruthyn. The bridesmaid was Miss Gladys Deacon. The uncle of the Prince was Lord de Ruthyn, the bride's brother, who was formerly Mrs. Edward Parker Deacon of Boston, did not give a reception. The pair left in an automobile for a honeymoon on the Continent.

Among the guests were the Duchess of Portland, Lord and Lady St. Leger, Lord and Lady Clifford, the Count and Countess of Essex, Lord and Lady de Ruthyn, Mrs. Ogden Mills, the Marquis de Seval, the Duke of Newcastle, Mrs. John Leslie, Mrs. Mackey, the Earl of Kintore, the Countess of Kimberly, the Marchioness of Anglesy and Lady Seymour Blane.

ITALIAN'S CANCER CURE.

Says He Has Conquered "Hopeless" Cases With It—Good for Anemia Too.

SPECIAL CABLE DISPATCH TO THE SUN. ROME, July 5.—Prof. Fichera has announced to the Institute of Experimental Hygiene the discovery of a cure for cancer. The cure consists of injections of serum from a human embryo.

The professor says that he has cured several hopeless cases at cancer hospitals. He has also experimented successfully with the same remedy in cases of anemia.

GORST WON'T BE REMOVED.

Roosevelt's Egyptian Speech in Vain Statement by Foreign Secretary Grey.

SPECIAL CABLE DISPATCH TO THE SUN. LONDON, July 5.—Replying to a question in the House of Commons this afternoon Sir Edward Grey, the Foreign Secretary, stated that Sir Eldon Gorst would remain in Egypt as the British Diplomatic Agent and Consul-General.

Several questions have been asked of the Government since Col. Roosevelt's Guildhall speech on Egypt as to what the Government was going to do in regard to the agent there in view of Col. Roosevelt's statements.

Two Unlucky Too Many.

George Hugelachfer got permission from Supreme Court Justice Giegerich yesterday to change his name to Shafer because Hugelachfer is too cumbersome and persons who write to him always leave off the two unluck, anyway.

ALEXANDER'S SUMMER Shoe Sale

Women's Summer Boots in various models, made of tan and black calf and kidskin, button and lace styles—that formerly sold at \$4 to \$8 a pair now grouped in three lots at \$2.75, \$3.45 and \$3.75—all sizes in the lot but not in each line.

STORE CLOSERS AT 4—SATURDAYS AT NOON.

ANDREW ALEXANDER SIXTH AVE. AT 19TH ST., NEW YORK

The Provident Loan Society OF NEW YORK

Loans from \$1 to \$1000 upon pledge of personal property.

INTEREST RATES. One per cent. (1%) per month or fraction thereof. One-half per cent. (½%) charged upon loans repaid within two weeks from date of making.

NEW OFFICE NOW OPEN, 148th St. & Courtlandt Ave. THE BRONX

LONGWORTH AN OPTIMIST.

Thinks the People Will Like the Tariff Law When They Understand It.

CINCINNATI, July 5.—Congressman Nicholas Longworth believes that the enlightenment of the people regarding the new tariff laws means the development of strength by the Republican party. He said to-day:

The whole opposition to the Republican party and the entire hope of the Democrats is based on the Payne tariff bill. Now, as soon as people understand what the tariff law really does they are for it. I had a demonstration of that only a few days ago when I spoke at Somerville, Mass., with Senator Lodge and others. There were 1,500 people or more in the hall and a crowd of about 3,500 who were unable to get in. They listened with the greatest eagerness to our explanations of the tariff, and at the close of the speech many were declared to have been inclined to oppose the Republicans until they learned from our addresses just what the tariff bill does. We converted hundreds there and if we can do that in Massachusetts in June we can do it in Ohio in September and October.

The plain facts, easy to demonstrate, are that not a cent of the increased cost of living can be traced to the tariff and that it has made some actual decreases in ordinary expenses. That the Republican party has for the first time defined what a protective tariff is and should be and that the first real scientific